

Local Briefs.

A grand inaugural ball will be given at the Clayton opera house Saturday eve, March 4th, in honor of President Roosevelt's inauguration.

Why would it not be well for Clayton to have a chamber of Commerce.

From present indications this spring promises to be one of the busiest ones Clayton has ever experienced.

The nice weather of the last week has caused our merchants to wear a very broad smile. A great many people were in town loading up with supplies for outside points.

Have you any steers or cows or sheep to sell; do you want to buy or sell anything in this line? Better see the Clayton Real Estate Live stock Commission Co.

Jas. Goode and Tom Snyder left last week for Kenton. Mr. Goode going in the interest of the New York Life Insurance Company and Mr. Snyder, visiting his brother at that place.

Every thing that you can use in the kitchen, house or ranch at Bob Isaacs.

THE CLAYTON CONCERT BAND are doing excellent in their practice work.

The carpenters of this town are kept busy now days, as there are several buildings under construction.

Under Sheriff John Hill went to the Cimarron country on official business, Tuesday.

Capt. M. Cooney of Socorro, has sold 2000 head of sheep to Denver parties at \$2.50 per head.

The Clayton Coal Co. sells Hasting coals.

Nothing succeeds like success, this motto appears to fit Bob Isaacs case, for his store is growing like a weed.

The Catholic church which makes the fifth church building in Clayton, is nearing completion.

Our County Sheriff has been out subpoenaing grand jurors for the next term of court which convenes in Clayton March 6th.

We understand there were several houses in Texline burglarized a few nights ago, the guilty parties have not been apprehended as yet.

Are you preparing to set out a few trees this spring, they greatly add to the beauty of the place, as well as to enhance its value.

Don't forget the time of year is at hand to commence to clean up one's premises. Cleanliness is next to godliness.

Putting other stoves against the Charter Oak is like racing an automobile against a burro. Bob Isaacs is the exclusive agent for this celebrated line.

A dine social was given at the residence of Miss Josie Jost, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the Christian Church. It was a grand success socially and financially.

You will find anything at McQueen's that is carried in stock at any first class drug store.

Just received at the Union Com. Co. a nice assortment of the latest styles of silk, suitable for shirt waist suits.

Our doctors report very little to do in their line.

The annual encampment of the G. A. R. will be held in Albuquerque, the 5th and 6th. of May.

See Coffee for your Ice and Coal After a few days of vacation, School resumed Monday.

Call up phone 72 for good coal.

Ground is being broken for Dr. Charlton's new sanitarium.

The Clayton Market seem to be alright judging from the distance people comes to do their trading here.

Pure whiskey for medicinal purposes at McQueen's drug store.

Levi Tabor, of Folsom, deputy sheriff, brought down and placed in jail, the C. & S. night operator from that place Thursday morning. He is charged with misappropriating some Company funds.

A full line of toilet articles at McQueen's drug store.

Tom Gray, the inspector has just returned from inspecting a bunch of cattle belonging to Mr. J. M. Johns, at Folsom. Mr. Gray says that the loss in sheep in this county does not exceed 5 per cent and that the loss in cattle is very small.

The Clayton Beer and Ice Co. has purchased the coal business of Tom Mansker and will begin at once to enlarge the business by putting up new buildings, Scales &c.

The whole number of persons in New Mexico between the ages of 5 and 21 years Oct. 1st, 1904, was 68,400. The whole number of persons actually enrolled in all schools during the year ending Oct. 1st 1904, was 52,826.

There was something like 2,000,000 lbs of freight received at the C. & S. freight house here during the month of Jan., and not far short of that for Feb. The freight receipts at the C. & S. R. R. office here for the month of Dec. 1904, were approximately \$5000.00.

The citizens of this country have recently sent to Gov. Otero a strong petition, asking that John Brophy, be appointed on the ranger force of New Mexico. The present legislature having recently passed a bill creating a company of territorial rangers. The Enterprise heartily endorses the appointment of Mr. Brophy, and we believe he will make as good an officer as can be found in the territory.

Clayton Opera House.

Clayton, can now boast of as fine an opera house as any City of twice its size in N. M. Thanks to the enterprise of our fellow townsman Mr. Carl Eklund. It is known as the Clayton Opera House, has a seating capacity of 500, is furnished with opera chairs from a Michigan firm. Has a \$150 drop curtain, manufactured in Denver, has 80 electric foot lights and is in every way a neat and commodious building. This is something that this city has long needed. And it is a wonder that with as many theater going people as Clayton boasts of, it has not been built before.

\$8.10 per hundred lbs paid for western lambs the other day in Chicago is the highest price ever paid for western lambs, already dealers are contracting for lambs at 5cts per lb with freight to the Missouri river.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Jack Elliston of the eastern part of this county was our first subscriber.

Mr. Jim Wiggins was in town last week from the Cimarron country, after feed.

A. W. Tanner the hardware man from Kenton received a carload of Wagons and Buggies here at the depot last week.

Mr. Chas. Sanford, of the Geniguilla was on our streets Saturday.

L. Easley's wagons were in town after supplies last week.

Mr. Geo. Pauly was in from his Poultry and Sheep ranch Saturday. Buy your coal from M. L. Cook Phone no 72.

Mr. John Everman came in Sunday from the Ceniguilla where he is engaged in drilling wells for Mr. Schlater.

Wm. Spurgeon from the Cimarron was in town Monday for supplies for Mr. Schroeder.

Mr. J. D. Williams from Garrett O. K. was on our streets Friday. He is one of the prosperous stock growers of the Cimarron valley.

Dr. E. J. Foreman U. S. Government Inspector was in on town a few days ago making new horses out of old ones.

Mr. Chas. Carr of the Cimarron was in town Saturday after supplies, he says cattle are doing nicely so far.

Ami Risdon, is going to have a new house which is well under way. There may be something doing soon.

Mrs. Bradley and Mr. Robt. Mansker's little girls made a flying trip to Kenton, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Chas. Law formerly of the U. S. Land office here, resigned his position and has opened a law office on Main street next to the Elkland Hotel. The Enterprise wishes him success.

Judge Toombs, formerly of this place, but late of Arizona is back to stay and has opened an office in our city. The Judge has a host of friends in this country that are glad to welcome his return.

Mr. Mackey of the Cimarron was in the city the early part of the week, he reports everything moving along nicely in his part of the country.

Mr. John Howell and son are drilling a well for C. B. Alford, on his farm 14 miles east of town.

John Skelly, U. S. Land Commissioner from Mineral Okla. was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Wm. King from close to the Sater Copper mines was in town Monday after a wind mill and other supplies. Mr. King believes in improvements.

R. A. Murray of the Kenton country, was in Clayton this week on business.

Miss Woods who has been teaching school, near Kenton, Ok. came to Clayton Tuesday to take the train for her home at Tyrone, Okla. her school having closed last week.

D. W. Snyder, of Kenton, is here under treatment of Dr. Charlton, for rheumatism. We hope to see Mr. Snyder well and able to attend his business in the near future.

Mr. H. D. Moore, the mail contractor brought in with him Wednesday evening, a bunch of green grass 2 inches in length.

Mr. Tixier, merchant from Bayers was in town Wednesday.

Bart Wheritt book keeper at the Union Commercial, left yesterday, to visit friends and take baths at Hot Springs, Ark.

R. H. Dean, is in Denver this week, on business.

Jake Pitts, of Texline, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. Foster, left for his ranch south, yesterday.

Chas. Garrett, of Garrett, O. T. was in town Tuesday, he is hauling supplies for the Merino Sheep Co.

A. McKenzie and Tom Giles, of the Cimarron country were here on business Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Davis and son Will, of Kenton, were here attending to some legal business.

Misses Fannie Giles and Leona Jones, of Kenton who are here attending school, visited their home during the few days vacation. Miss Minnie Howell accompanied Miss Giles.

Arch Brite, of the Fred Burch Ranch, was in town Tuesday.

F. Caruthers, of Woodward O.T. arrived the first of the month and is filling Mr. Laws place in the U. S. Land Office.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Methodist Episcopal services Second and Third Sundays in each month at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Freeman, Pastor Sunday School every Sunday at 10 A. M. Bro. N. E. Whitworth, Supt.

Christian Church Services Second and Fourth Sunday in each month. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Culp, Pastor. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 A. M. Bro. Rickotts supt.

1st Baptist Church, will be dedicated soon and is one of the neatest structures in the City. The Baptist people are worshipping with the Christians as yet.

The Spanish Methodist people worship in a nice building of their own every Sunday at 2 P. M. Rev. A. E. Gonzales, Pastor.

The Presbyterian people have no building as yet but worship in the Christian Church from time to time which will be given out in the Enterprise.

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Mr. M. L. Cook of Amarillo Tex., has succeeded A. E. Wilt in the coal business at this place. Mr. Cook is an enterprising man and will do what is right with the people. He keeps the best of coal, both Egg and Lump, but you all know that he has to pay cash for his coal before it is unloaded, so it is not strange that he asks every body to pay him cash for the coal. In fact the cash system is the best system, once we become accustomed to it. He has changed his office from the livery barn to the coal house, where he would be glad to meet his customers or have them phone him at No. 72, 2070 lbs. to the ton and prompt delivery is his motto. The Enterprise wishes him success.

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